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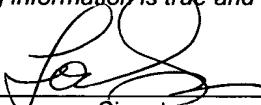
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**WHEREAS**, Assignors have invented certain new and useful improvements in **PHOTOGRAPHY PRINT SYSTEM AND METHOD OF CONTROLLING THE SAME**, set forth in a Patent application for Letters Patent of the United States, already filed on August 26, 2003 as U.S. application No. 10/647,590; and

**WHEREAS**, Omron Corporation, a corporation organized under and pursuant to the laws of Japan having a place of business at 801 Minamifudodo-cho, Horikawahigashiiru, Shiokoji-dori, Shimogyo-ku, Kyoto-shi, Kyoto 600-8530, JAPAN (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said Application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefore and thereon.

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